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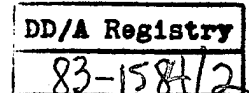
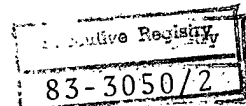
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July 11, 1983

MEMORANDUM FOR

Executive Secretary
Central Intelligence Agency

SUBJECT: NSDD-97 Steering Group (U)



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Pursuant to Mr. McMahon's conversation with Robert Helm of the NSC staff, this is to confirm the relationship of government agencies with the NSDD-97 Steering Group. (U)

The National Communications System (NCS), of which the CIA is a principal member, will function as the interagency forum where national security telecommunication initiatives in support of NSDD-97 are developed. To the extent feasible, the NCS membership will also address implementation and funding issues. (C)

NCS proposed initiatives and implementation recommendations will be forwarded to the Steering Group for consideration. The Steering Group will address and approve final implementation and funding plans or, as required, refer issues to the President for decision. (C)

Agencies will be invited to participate in Steering Group meetings to discuss implementation and funding for national security telecommunication initiatives directly related to their mission and responsibilities. Agencies may also request to participate in or observe Steering Group meetings at which issues they feel bear upon their mission and responsibilities will be discussed. (C)

This procedure is specifically designed to ensure that all agencies will be represented at NSDD-97 Steering Group meetings where implementation and funding of national security telecommunication issues directly related to their missions and budgets are discussed. (C)

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